

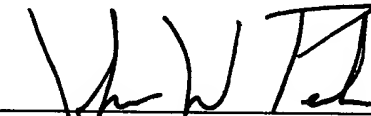
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Applicant respectfully requests entry of the above election. The Applicant would also request confirmation that the amendments filed with the previous response have been entered, and the prior art references filed with the previous response have been considered.

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